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- 2. The scientific research article entitled "Transduction of an *IL-2* Gene into Human Melanoma-Reactive Lymphocytes Results in Their Continued Growth in the Absence of Exogenous IL-2 and Maintenance of Specific Antitumor Activity," which published as pages 6356-6365 of Volume 167 of the Journal of Immunology represents the work of myself and Dr. Rosenberg.
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